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PREMIO EMILIO LUSSU 2025 | XI EDITION

NOTICE OF COMPETITION WITH FREE THEME

The cultural association L'Alambicco, with the support of the Autonomous Region of Sardinia and the municipality of Cagliari, announces the **11th edition of the literary competition called "Premio Emilio Lussu"**.

The competition consists of 2 sections:

Section 1: Published novels and short story collections;

Section 2: Published non-fiction

METHOD OF PARTICIPATION AND DEADLINE FOR THE PRESENTATION OF WORKS

Section 1 and 2: Novels, collections of short stories and published non-fiction

Novels, collections of short stories and non-fiction in Italian or translated into Italian, published (with ISBN and regular distribution in sales channels) in the period between **1 January 2024 and 1 June 2025** are eligible to compete.

Please note: short story collections must contain material by a single author: multi-author anthologies cannot participate.

Publishers or authors who intend to participate to the Premio Lussu 2025 must **send their works no later than 12:00 PM on 1 June 2025 (the postmark or courier stamp will be proof of that).**

The works must be sent exclusively in the following ways:

- **N. 1 copy of the work file in PDF format**, of each participating work, to be sent to the email address **info@festivalpremioemiliolussu.org** with the mandatory registration form (Attached to the announcement) filled-in with all the required author data, written in block capitals



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- **N. 6 paper copies**, to be sent by registered post with return receipt or by courier to the following address: **Associazione Culturale L'Alambicco via Sestu n. 42 09067 Elmas (CA) Italy.**

Notice: if the works are not entered according to the methods indicated (file of the work in PDF, author's registration form which must be sent by email and sending the 6 paper copies by post or courier), they will not be admitted to the competition.

AWARDS

SECTION 1

1st place, €. 1.000,00 (one thousand euro/00), a plaque and a parchment

SECTION 2

1st place, €. 1.000,00 (one thousand euro/00), a plaque and a parchment

The first-place authors in each section will be hosted at Festival's expense (travel, board and lodging)

The cash award, paid by bank transfer by **31 December 2025**, will be given if the author guarantees his presence at the final awarding evening.

The awards evening will be held in Cagliari on the afternoon of Saturday 15 November at the "Sala Castello" in viale Regina Margherita 42.

During the awards ceremony the winning works will be presented and the authors will talk with the audience.

JURIES

The international jury is made up of writers, teachers, journalists and personalities from the world of national and international art and culture, whose names will be announced on the website www.festivalpremioemiliolussu.org and on all the network channels used.

The works participating in the competition sections will be sent to the jury for evaluation.

The jury will choose, with unquestionable and unappealable judgment, a shortlist of 5 finalist works from the two sections of the competition which will be communicated to the press and published on the website starting from October 2025.



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The winners will subsequently be notified via email and/or telephone, whose names will be made official in a press conference by November 10, 2025.

PROTECTION OF PERSONAL DATA

Pursuant to Legislative Decree 196/2003 "Code regarding the protection of personal data", the organization declares, pursuant to art. 13, "Information provided at the time of data collection",

that the processing of the data of the participants in the competition is aimed solely at managing the award and sending the interested parties the calls for subsequent years; it is also declared that

by sending the literary materials participating in the competition, the interested party consents to the processing of personal data; it is also declared, pursuant to art. 7 "Right of access", that the author can request the cancellation, rectification or updating of his data by contacting the legal manager of the cultural association L'Alambicco in the person of dott. Alessandro Macis via Sestu 42 09067 Elmas (CA)

INFORMATION

For further information send an email to info@festivalpremioemiliolussu.org or call from Monday to Friday 9.30/12.30 – 16.00/19.00 at the numbers +39 328 0615046 | +39 328 0951378

The application form can be downloaded at the link

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